

Gazette Telegrams Give Three Hours Later News Than Chicago Afternoon Papers Sold in Janesville

MAY TALK FOR PEACE

But There Will Be No Peace Until Spain Is Whipped.

NO OVERTURES YET RECEIVED BY OUR GOVERNMENT.

Washington, July 26—Special—Talk of an armistice is not heeded here. None will be granted. If Spain wants peace she must sue for it. There is no confidence among officials here that she would respect the terms of an armistice, as she has repeatedly shown her lack of every sense of honor. Spain must surrender absolutely before our army and navy will suspend operations either in Cuba, Porto Rico or the Philippines.

Washington, July 26—Special—There is no sign here of a movement on the part of the vatican looking to peace negotiations, but it is believed when Spain finally concludes to seek peace, it will begin with a request for an armistice. This request will be denied unless it is accompanied by a positive assurance that the war will not be resumed.

Immunes to the Front.

Washington, July 26—Special—The two regiments of immunes just sent from New Orleans to Santiago will doubtless take the most exposed positions about that city, giving Gen. Shafter an opportunity to take his unacclimated troops to the mountains, where the yellow fever seldom goes. The movement is in the interest of life saving. It is possible that a portion of Gen. Shafter's army will be sent back to the United States, to be employed in the expedition against Havana after the yellow fever season shall have passed. The troops will be safe against the infection by the middle of September.

Gen. Miles' Landing.

Washington, July 26—Special—The landing of Gen. Miles' expedition to Porto Rico at Ponce was unopposed. Not a shot was fired. There was a small detachment of Spanish troops in the town, but it disappeared before the troops had set foot upon the shore. No details of Gen. Miles' plans are given out. They will only be publicly known as events transpire. It looks as if the island was to be occupied in detail, as is now being done in Cuba, before an attack is made upon San Juan, the capital.

Refugees Coming In.

Santiago, July 26—Special—Cuban refugees are flocking here from all directions. Many of them were driven out at the beginning of the war three years ago. Hundreds are coming from the United States and Mexico. A number of those who lived in the country have visited their property and returned with a pitiful story of burned buildings and general desolation.

"Upon What Meat?"

City of Mexico, July 26—Special—El Monitor Espanol, the organ of the Spanish colony here, publishes an alleged dispatch from Washington saying McKinley invited Cervera to call upon him and that the latter did so, but the moment he met the president he drew a pistol and killed McKinley. The dispatch found many believers.

Will Make Haste Slowly.

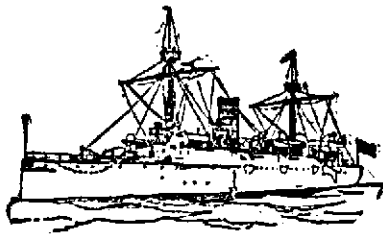
Washington, July 26—Special—There is to be no haste in the Porto Rico campaign. The various sections of the army will land deliberately and await the arrival of other regiments. Within two weeks, however, thirty thousand American soldiers will be on the island.

Embarking for Porto Rico.

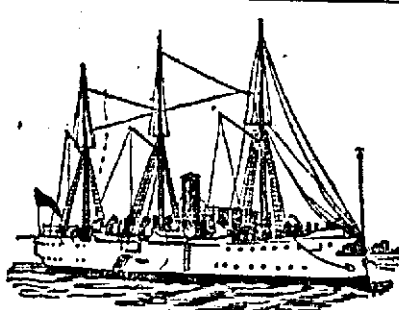
Newport News, July 26—Special—It is officially stated that the embarkation of the Porto Rican expedition begins tomorrow. The twenty-seventh Indiana and several troops of Illinois cavalry are expected here this afternoon.

To Be Looked Into.

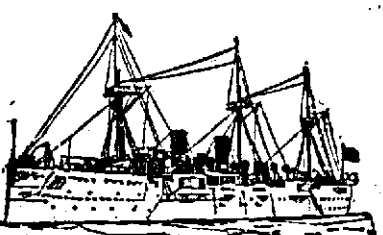
Washington, July 26—Special—Surgeon General Sternberg went to New York last night to investigate affairs found on the Seneca, which recent brought sick and wounded from Santiago.



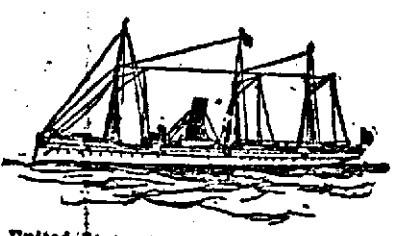
United States Cruiser Charleston.



United States Gunboat Concord.



United States Cruiser Philadelphia.



United States Dispatch Post Dolphin.

BRIEFS FROM BELOIT

Appleby Thinks He Has Caught a Murderer—Death of Godfried Zander—Business Change.

Beloit, Wis., July 26—[Special]—Marshal Appleby yesterday received a circular from Canadian police authorities offering a reward for the arrest of a one-eyed tramp who is charged with murder. As he was reading the circular he was startled by seeing, as he believes, the man reported in the circular, pass by. The description being so much like the one in the circular, Marshal Appleby placed him under arrest, and will consult with the Canadian police. The circular said the man wanted was from thirty to forty years of age, of very dark complexion, had lost the left leg at the knee, and wore a peg, and had a queer appearance of the eye. The man under arrest answers the description to a dot, excepting that the circular calls for dark curly hair, and this man's hair was cut short. Marshal Appleby thinks he has made an important capture.

Godfried Zander, of this city, died yesterday at the home of his son, Godfried Zander, Jr. He was 64 years of age. The funeral will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Tim Corcoran, for a long time connected with the Adams Express company, but owing to the consolidation of the companies lost his position, has bought out the O. L. Vale bakery. This is an important deal, as the bakery has a large and thriving business. Mr. Corcoran has many friends who wish him prosperity.

OLD SOLDIERS RALLY AUG. 4

Rock and Walworth County Veterans to Gather in Clinton

Old soldiers and sailors of Rock and Walworth counties will hold their annual reunion in Clinton, Aug. 4. Ample provision has been made for entertaining a big crowd. There will be stirring music all day and Governor Scofield and Congressman H. A. Cooper will speak. The program of the day will be as follows:

6:00 a. m. Sunrise salute, 13 guns.
7:00 to 8:20 a. m. Reception of veterans and distinguished guests.
8:30 to 10:00 a. m. Athletic games, tug-of-war, wheelbarrow race.
10:00 to 12:30 p. m. Base ball game, at Railroad Park, Clinton vs. Clinton.
11:30 a. m. to 1:30 p. m. Dinner.
1:30 to 2:30 p. m. Parade of veterans, civic societies, firemen, wheelmen and other bodies.
2:30 p. m. Patriotic exercises on Mayor Barker's lawn.
Address—His Excellency, Gov. Scofield.
Oration—Hon. H. A. Cooper, Racine.
Music—Male Quartette, Imperial Band, and Edgerton Drum Corps. Comrade Kimberley will sing.
Short stories and reminiscences by the boys of '61.
6:00 p. m. Evening Salute to the Governor.
7:00 p. m. Concert, Harmon's String Orchestra and Choral Union.
8:15 p. m. Lecture, Prof. J. C. Freeman, of University of Wisconsin.

IS POPULAR AS A RESORT

Lake Koshkonong Becoming Famous Among Hunters and Fishermen.

Lake Koshkonong which for many years has been noted as one of the greatest feeding grounds for the canvas back and other varieties of ducks in the United States, is fast coming to the front as one of the summer resorts of Wisconsin, and to such an extent that it is often given a prominent place in the "resort" columns of the Chicago and Milwaukee papers, something unheard of until the present season. An excursion steamer equipped with such modern improvements as electric lights, etc., plies between the different points of interest. The lake abounds with pike, pickerel and bass and one Janesville party report a catch recently of 87 black bass and several large pickerel within a period of ten days. Many local people take advantage of the fact that it is within easy driving distance of Janesville, and spend many a pleasant hour along its shores.

His Chance.

The Rev. Mr. Barr—I am astonished to find that one at your time of life should be taking up with gambling racing and—er—all that sort of thing. Old Nurocks—Huh! It's the first time in my life I could afford it.—Cincinnati Enquirer

SICK AT JACKSONVILLE

Complaints Which Have Sent the Jacksonville Soldiers to the Hospital for Treatment.

Jacksonville, Fla., July 26—[Special]—The chief troubles in this company are biliousness, malaria and nose-bleeds. All are doing well. Irish is the worst case. The following are in the division hospital: Corporal Smith; Privates Wolcott, Simpson, Hammond, Jollyman, Lindnerud, Fred Coryell, Winans, Hadrid, Irish, Morton. The sick report shows less sickness in camp today. The following are all in their tents: Quartermaster Hill, Jergie, Schmitt and Brown; Corporal Brown; Privates Gifford, Knipschield, Leidtke, Synatt, Galtier, Frank Coryell, Clark, Swift.

EATEN BY WILD BEASTS

Horrible Fate Of a Child Left Alone In the Woods By Its Mother.

Spring Valley, Wis., July 26—[Special]—A shocking occurrence is reported from Plum City, about twenty miles south. While a party of berry pickers were scouring the woods between Plum City and Pepin, one of the number, a mother, nursed her babe and placed it in a buggy to sleep. When she returned from the berry patch she was horrified to find that her little one had been devoured by animals. The child's bloody clothing and some gnawed bones were all that remained.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS PICNIC

Those Intendence Had An Enjoyable Day's Pleasure

Yesterday the Royal Neighbors enjoyed their annual picnic up the river. Games and amusements of all kinds were indulged in. During the evening the inspiring strains of Smith's orchestra furnished the music for the merry makers to trip the light fantastic. During an intermission in the dance a program was presented under the charge of Miss Baker which was well rendered and very much enjoyed. The program was as follows:

The Plastic Movements.....
Edna Murdoch and Hazel Woodstock
Recitation, "Bobbie Shafter"
Solo, "The Little Newsboy's Death"
Recitation, "The Little Newsboy's Death"
"How Grandma Danced the Minuet"
Recitation, "Jack, the Fisherman"
Pantomime, "Paul and Virginia"
Five Young Ladies

PROF. BUELL HAS ACCEPTED

He Will Go to Brodhead to Accept the Superintendency of Schools.

Prof. H. C. Buell returned this morning from Washington. He confirms the statement already made by The Gazette that he will accept the proffered position as principal of the public schools of Brodhead. He makes no complaint of his treatment in Janesville, but says the Brodhead offer puts him in the way of future preferment.

JOINED IN THE HOLY BONDS

Miss Lillian C. Gardner and Leroy W. Crall Quietly Married.

This afternoon at four o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Webb J. Owen I. Footville, occurred the wedding of Miss Lillian C. Gardner to Leroy W. Crall, of this city. Rev. W. A. Hall, of this city, performed the ceremony. It was a very quiet affair, no one but the immediate relatives of both parties being there.

Marriage and Longevity.

Marriage, according to Dr. Schwartz, of Berlin, is the most important factor in longevity. Of every 200 persons who reach the age of 40 years 125 are married and 75 unmarried. At sixty years the proportions are 48 to 22; at 70 years, 27 to 11, and at 80 years, 9 to 3. Fifty centenarians had all been married. The doctor asserts that the rate of mortality for husbands and wives between the ages of 30 and 45 years is 18 per cent, while that for unmarried persons is 25 per cent.

SPANISH BAD FAITH

Gunboat Sunk by Them in Violation of Terms of Surrender.

ALL FAITH IN CUBAN FEALTY IS NOT YET ABANDONED.

Playa Del Este, July 26—Special—The Spanish gunboat Sandoval was sunk in the bay near Caimanera by the Spaniards last night. This is considered a gross breach of the terms of the surrender in view of the fact that food has been sent into the city by the American forces.

Washington, July 26—Special—There are evidences that the alleged defection of the Cuban commanders has been exaggerated. That a misunderstanding has arisen between Garcia and Shafter is understood, but it related only to the occupation of Santiago, and did not involve the general conduct of the war. The Cubans, however, are not looked upon with favor, and will not be permitted to have their own way, because of their revengeful nature, which may lead to the commission of atrocities. They may be of good service in the field, however, and will be used there as long as they behave properly.

Discredits the Landing.

Washington, July 26—Special—The war department discredits the report that Miles is landing his troops at Ponce. The war officials state it is expected Miles' troops were landed at Fajardo. A dispatch from Miles is looked for today.

Washington, July 26—Special—Representative Lewis, of Washington, has been assigned as aide on the staff of Gen. Brooke. He will follow Brooke to Porto Rico next week.

The Conditions Critical.

Paris, July 26—Special—A letter from Madrid received here by a French diplomat says the situation at Madrid is more critical now than at any time since the war began. The slightest incident may at any moment precipitate a crisis and plunge the country into revolution. Republican discontent is spreading at an alarming rate.

Nothing Important.

Washington, July 26—Special—The cabinet meeting was very brief today. At its conclusion Secretary Long said he had nothing important to give out. Everything is waiting on the land attack on Porto Rico, which will not begin until reinforcements reach Miles. The matter of sending a squadron to Spain is still held in abeyance.

Sampson's Report.

New York, July 26—Special—The Journal's Washington dispatch says Sampson's report on the Santiago naval battle eulogizes Commodore Schley, and praises the captains of the ships engaged in the battle. Commander Wainwright, of the cruiser Gloucester, is recommended for promotion.

Off the Coast of Porto Rico.

Washington, July 26—Special—A St. Thomas dispatch reports a dozen American ships arrived off the eastern coast of Porto Rico near Fajardo yesterday. The ships, it is said here, must be those convoying Miles' expedition. No official report of their arrival has been received here.

Encouraged by False Reports.

New York, July 26—Special—The Journal's Hong Kong special says: Reports to the effect that the European powers will not permit the annexation of the Philippines have encouraged the Spaniards in Manila. The attempt to buy or kill Aguinaldo has been revived with vigor.

Fight With Insurgents.

Madrid, July 26—Special—Havana advices say the Spanish troops encountered the insurgents at Jicotea and in the ensuing fight the Spanish lost three killed and one wounded. The leader of the insurgents was killed.

Yellow Fever Suspected.

Tampa, July 26—Special—The transport Arkansas is being detained here on suspicion that she is infected with yellow fever. Col. John Jacob Astor is aboard with important messages for Alcon from Shafter.

NEWS FROM NEARBY
NEIGHBORHOODSINCOMINGS AND OUTGOINGS OF
ROCK COUNTY PEOPLE.

Gossip of a Personal and Business Character Gleaned By Gazette Reporters in the Garden Spot of Wisconsin—Religious and Social Notes.

Afton, July 26.—Arthur E. Bestor, of Chicago, occupied the pulpit at the Baptist church last Sunday and will preach again next Sunday. W. J. Miller has a force of men at work clearing away the debris from the destructive fire of last week and will begin rebuilding as soon as he can. The new barn will be built on a different plan from the burned structure. Miss Irene Bennett, of Janesville, a graduate of the State Normal school at Milwaukee, has been engaged to teach in the primary department of the Afton school for the ensuing year. Miss Bennett is a daughter of F. A. Bennett, the well known marble dealer. Miss Eliza Stoddard, who taught here for the last two years, has secured a position in the Evansville schools. W. H. Tripp, of Vallejo, California, is visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity. Mr. Tripp is a nephew of Hon. William H. Tripp of our town and was formerly a resident here. For the past five years he has been on a tour around the world and comes here from Tampa, Florida, where he went to see the soldier boys in camp. He has much of great interest to relate regarding his 32,000 miles of travel. Postmaster Walto has received a great, big, round "hard tack" direct from camp "Cuba Libre" at Jacksonville, Florida. This bit of army ration came through the mails without wrapping and was intact when received. It was sent by Private Clark F. Osgood of company E, First Wisconsin, and is highly treasured as a souvenir by its recipient. It may be seen at the postoffice. A letter from Private Osgood announces that he has been discharged from the hospital after a ten days' siege of the measles. He states that there were twenty cases of measles, fifty of typhoid fever, six of mumps and one of diphtheria in the camp. Lyman H. Miller left last Saturday for a visit with relatives at Ripon, Wis. Born to Mr. and Mrs. George O. Antisdel, Sunday, July 24, a daughter.

North Johnston, July 26.—Mrs. Kate Beesh, of Evansville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. H. Newton. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Dickinson welcomed an eleven and a half pound baby boy to their home last week Friday. Frank Wheeler's family, of Whitewater, were guests at H. B. Osborn's, Wednesday. Frank Walker and wife, of Lima, spent Sunday at Thomas Goodger's. Miss Mae Steele arrived home from her visit to Peoria, Ill., Friday. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Whitcomb, and two children, who will remain several days. The Christian Endeavor society will elect officers for the next year, Sunday evening next. The Loyal Temperance Legion No. 2 will hold an ice cream festival at Watson Aldrich's, Wednesday evening of next week, August 3. All are invited. Mrs. H. B. Osborn left for Janesville, Monday afternoon, on route via Omaha, for Salem, Nebraska, to visit relatives. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. C. C. Carr, of Janesville, and they will be gone a month. Mrs. George Church recovered the team and carriage, Monday, which her husband left at the Riverside hotel, Janesville, when he took his flight. Mrs. Florence Wheeler, of Whitewater, spent Sunday night and Sunday at the home of her brother, Leon Dickinson. Richard Cary and wife visited at W. H. Gray's, Friday. Miss Martha Cunningham is at home again. Mrs. Ina Holmes is afflicted with the mumps. Miss Jennie Hanna and Edward Mould, of Whitewater, wheeled out to H. Tooker's, Monday.

Magnolia, July 26.—Born, July 19, 1898, to Mr. and Mrs. Will Wilky, a son. Died, July 23, 1898, at the home of her father, Thaddeus York, Little Florence York, aged four years. A father, two sisters and three brothers are left to mourn her loss. Mrs. O. G. Howard, Mrs. Frank Chase, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Green, Mrs. G. H. Howard, Misses Lulu and Eva Howard returned from a three days' visit to the Madison assembly last Saturday. All enjoyed the outing immensely. Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Johnson are rejoicing over the advent of a nine pound boy. They have the congratulations of the jolly on this happy event. Arthur Wood has left for parts unknown.

A PURE GRAPE CREAM OF TARTAN POWDER.

DR. PRICE'S
CREAM
BAKING
POWDER

Awarded Highest Honors, World's Fair

Mr. and Mrs. P. Torpy, of Center; and Mr. and Mrs. Al. Smith, of Evansville, attended morning service here last Sunday.

Milton.
[THE GAZETTE AGENCY,
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Milton, Wis., July 26, 1898.]

Robert, the eight year old son of Mr. and Mrs. D. McCulloch was attacked with lock-jaw Friday as the result of blood poison, the primal cause being a silver that entered his hand several days before. The wound had healed and the boy made but little complaint but when Dr. Horden was called he lanced the hand and it at once began to discharge pus. He suffered much pain and lived until Monday forenoon. "Toby" the name by which everyone knew him was a bright, good natured little fellow and much loved by his playmates. His sad untimely death is a shock to them and the community. The bereaved parents and brothers and sisters have the heartfelt sympathy of all in their hour of sorrow. The funeral takes place today (Wednesday) at 10:30 o'clock a. m. in the M. E. church.

President Whitford was called to Palmyra today to preach the funeral sermon of Mrs. Augusta Weld-Carlin. Deceased was a student here years ago and had many friends and acquaintances here. Mrs. A. W. Baldwin and daughter, Mrs. Clarke, of Chicago, came up from Janesville, Friday, to bring "Auntie" Baldwin home. Mrs. Mabel Van Horn will live with the old lady. Miss Pratt, of Deerfield, has been visiting her uncle, J. P. Bullis, for several days. E. W. Voss, agent of the St. Paul company at South Wayne, and formerly operator here, was in the village, Saturday.

Wellington Clarke left Sunday night for Alden, Minn., where he owns a farm that needs his attention. Mrs. Perry Miller, of Milwaukee, is the guest of Milton relatives. Havana, Ill., July 25.—The evening entertainment by Dr. Swift's company was excellent—Chicago Chronicle.

Mr. and Mrs. Koch, of Fairfield, Ill., visited their children, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Goodrich, this week. S. B. Davy and wife enjoyed the Kilbourn excursion Sunday. Miss Grace P. Spaulding, of the class of '98, has accepted a position in the Kilbourn high school for the coming year.

Mr. C. M. Morse and son, of Chicago, arrived in the village Friday, and is visiting her father, William Hemp-hill, at Rock River. Walt Holmes introduced his right thumb to the interior of a corn sheller, Monday morning, much to the thumb's detriment. It was the Harmony farmers that "a-felting went," not the "town livers" as we reported last week. Miss Inez Rice rides a new wheel these days. A. P. Rice had the misfortune to lose a horse, Saturday. It dropped dead on the harvest field. Prof. John D. Bond attended the funeral services of Mrs. Carlin, at Palmyra. A sneak thief broke a window in Sunby's shoe shop, Monday night, and stole a pair of shoes.

Lima Center, Wis., July 26.—David Howard and Tommie Davidson, of Milton, were calling on friends last Sunday. Mrs. Walter McComb, is enjoying a visit from her aunt, Miss Minnie Howard. James Bull is not as well again. Miss Ella Barker leaves Wednesday morning for Madison to visit relatives. Mrs. Mark Child, Mr. and Mrs. Orson Truman and Mrs. William Truman were called to Byron, Ill., last Tuesday, to attend the funeral of their sister, Mrs. Vesta Oeck. She was the youngest daughter of Mrs. Child. Miss Maud Traver is spending the week with friends in Whitewater and Hears Prairie. Mrs. Ely, of Johnston, and her granddaughter, Ollie Ely, of Worthington, Minn., visited Carrie Johnson last Friday. Rev. Mr. Thayer was called to Monroe last Sunday to attend a funeral, and the pulpit was supplied by Mr. Arthur Whitney, of Newville. The Sewing Circle meets with Mrs. Daniel Collins, Thursday afternoon. Frank Fuller is rushing the bicycle trade. Tandems are his specialty. Every wheel is a winner, and his battle cry is forward to Richmond. Mrs. Frank Gould has lost a gold ring. It was a keepsake and any one finding it and returning it to her, she will reward liberally. Initial on inside of ring "O. A. G." Mrs. Frank Gould spent the week in Whitewater. Mrs. B. L. Jones and Lulu and Harold visited friends in Whitewater from Wednesday, until Saturday evening of last week.

Barker's Corners.
Barker's Corners, July 26.—The Ladies' Aid society will hold an ice cream social at the church Wednesday evening of this week. All are invited. The ladies are requested to bring cake. There was no preaching Sunday. Elder Thayer was called to Monroe to preach a funeral sermon. Mrs. Joe Mason and son, or Beloit, are visiting in this vicinity. Mrs. More Havens, of Janesville, is spending the week at J. R. Flagler. The farmers are nearly through cutting grain and the hum of the threshing machine is not far distant. Miss Julia Dutton spent last week at Lake Monona on the assembly grounds. Quite a few from this place attended the party given at Adam Thorsbourn's in Janesville, last Wednesday evening.

HUTLER'S 25c 4-pound cake, 50c a can, 25c a can.

SWELTERING IN
CAMP CUBA LIBRETORRID WEATHER ADDS TO
DISCOMFORTS OF LIFE.

All the Boys Are Cheerful, Despite Their Many Hardships—Their Daily Training in Camp and Field Duties—Mess Funds Add Some Luxuries to the Fare.

Camp Cuba Libre, Jacksonville, Fla., July 25.—The range practice of the First Wisconsin in Jacksonville began yesterday. The different regiments will send details each day in turn to learn to use their rifles. Yesterday's detail from this command consisted entirely of men unused to rifle shooting with the exception of Sergeant Thom, in charge, and Private Caniff as assistant instructor. It was composed of Privates Huchholz, Biggar, Bond, Balderson, Coryell, Christian-son, Chapman, Cunningham, Duller, Terrell, Madness, Farmer, Granger, Inman, Jarvis and Pierson. Two meal rations were issued and they remained away from 5:45 a. m.

Sergeant Thom reports practice was started at 100 yards, Private Huchholz starting. Score 13, out of possible 35. Chapman piled up 21 and Christianson got but 2. Tried about 40 rounds but were stopped by Rough Riders who disliked having bullets fly through their camp. Range was changed and through an intensely hot day firing continued. On 300 yard range Private Farmer led 21 out of 25 made.

The "oldest inhabitant" says that the hot weather is unprecedented for the time of year. Awfully dry here too, though a slight shower yesterday tended to cool the air.

Any photo that may be sent home representing a husband, lover or brother who looks as a brigand might be absolutely truthful. It is really no use trying to keep clean and the many representatives of Janesville discredit their friends here in Cuba Libre.

Col. William J. Bryan rode through camp this morning and attracted much attention. Privates Sheldon, Reynolds and King received a box of good things from home Wednesday and feel very happy about mess time and frequently between.

Private Butterfield has been detailed as assistant cook and he and Cook Flint are pleased to see lumber arriving for a new kitchen. There is much sickness, malaria and fever all through the camp. But the boys are cheerful and in spite of the hot weather manage to pass the time.

Artificer Schmitt made one of an artificer detail who have finished a guard house that will be a great improvement over the tents that have been used. By disposing of "hog-back" issued to us for cash we find a way of getting a few extra snob as oat meal, etc. Two days this week we have had fish. Fish for 100 men costs but about \$2 and is an acceptable change of fare. Musicians Brosman and Glennon have discovered a gopher just back of their tent and are spending a good deal of time throwing things in that direction in the hope, they say, of having fresh meat some day.

Mess funds were pretty generally started just after pay day. Each member puts in a sum of money, one man is made treasurer, and the fund goes toward buying condensed milk, ice water and occasional butter and fruit. It has one drawback in that it seldom lasts through the month. Anyone who thinks we are having a "snap" down here, should spend a day with us, and watch some of the details work. For instance Corporal Hall had charge of a detail composed of Privates Meason, Mitchell, Pearl, Prentiss Bros., Peabody and Pichel who spent the busy hour yesterday digging a trench to drain the lower portions of the camp. And worked in a sun that would have driven them home in fifteen minutes in Wisconsin.

Lieutenant Whiting as surgeon and Private Wray as nurse, find their hands full at division hospital these feverish days. Privates Atkinson, Fletcher and Halverson find lots of time on their hands, and are frequent visitors to our line. As the days drag on and no movement of the Second division Seventh army corps seems imminent, the men add to their quarters' fittings here a rough chair or table, there a set of shelves, a pine board cot, or a "back-porch" of A tents. And from the first start of just a plain house of canvas they have managed to make very complete abiding places.

BOUGHT A MAMMOTH HAMMER

Immense Implement For Pounding Out Plowshares For the Machine Company

The Janesville Machine company has just purchased a large Bradley hammer for punching out plow shares. The war has evidently had little effect upon the farmers for the orders in the factories for plows cannot be filled for many days. The new hammer is of the latest type, and weighs 300 pounds. The company has another similar to it but not heavy enough for the work in the shop. The company has just built a new brick building for the foundry which will give much more room for the machine shops and a capacity for more men. Along with the outside work the company is manufacturing for its own use a large type of machine known as a bulldozer.

STRAWBERRY eating apples very fine, 50c a peck; Pippins for cooking, 40c a peck.

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RIVERSIDE HOTEL—Rest of accommodations for transients and regular boarders. Ample stabling. E. Richter, Proprietor.

GRANITE and marble monuments as good as the best; as low as the lowest. First class work and material. Get my prices. F. A. Bennett.

Suits \$18, pants \$1. Good fit and workmanship are guaranteed. Pressing and repairing on short notice. Fred Foltz, 12 Corn Exchange.

All those in need of single harness, now is the time to buy; 50 sets to be sold in the next 30 days at the lowest possible prices. M. H. Hall Main & Court

Good York denim overalls 39 cents. High cash prices hides, pelts, furs, tallow. Rags and iron goods called for on notification. Cuba Bros., 112 W. Mil. St.

RENTSCHLER Bros. for wedding or floral work. New style of wire designs, and shafts of wheat. We give satisfaction. 214 S. Main St. Tel. 171-1

Aman in Virginia, rode forty miles of Fairfax Station, for the express purpose of getting Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and took home with him, a dozen bottles of the medicine. The druggist who relates the incident adds: "Your remedy seems to be a general favorite wherever known." Its effects are indeed wonderful in all lung and throat troubles. Procure a bottle at Peoples' Drug Store, E. Milwaukee St.

Cloniburst in Iowa.

Sioux City, Iowa, July 26.—The Broken Kettle valley, north of here, suffered from a cloudburst Sunday night. All small streams were over their banks. Bridges, road grades and culverts suffered, and crops in the storm's path were ruined. The loss will reach thousands.

Bank Receiver Appointed. Marshalltown, Iowa, July 26.—State's Attorney General Remley went before Judge Caswell and requested that George Andrews be appointed receiver of the Commercial State bank. The request was complied with and Andrews will take charge as soon as his \$150,000 bond is approved.



United States Cruiser Baltimore.

During Dewey's wonderful fight in Manila Bay the Baltimore helped make a record for the American navy that will go down in history as an unparalleled event. Every warship in the navy with full description in these naval portfolios we give free with every 7 bars of Cuba Libre soap for 25c. Sanborn.

Hammock Weather.

Every person that has a spot about the yard large enough to hang a hammock in, should have one; more comfortable hot days and evenings for all members of the family than the price of the hammock equals. We have reduced the price on all our hammocks 50c each. The fancy colored fringed edge and pillow ones and the woven wire hammocks all go at the reduced price. Our stock is large and well assorted. Sanborn.

"Kid" McCoy Begins Training. Saratoga, N. Y., July 26.—"Kid" McCoy has established himself at Dougrey's, Saratoga lake, and commenced training for his fight with Corbett at Buffalo in September.

Will Be Governor of Canada. London, July 25.—It is officially announced that the Earl of Minto will succeed the Earl of Aberdeen as governor general of Canada.

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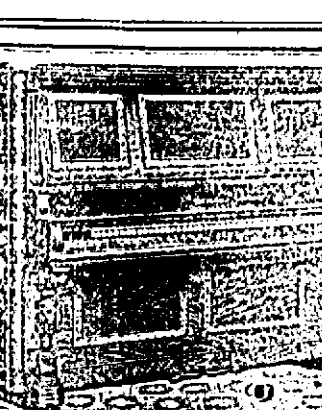
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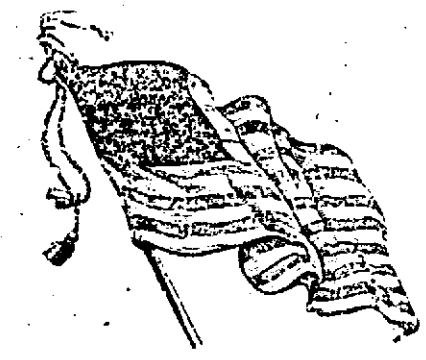
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Republican Caucuses.

Republican caucuses and preliminary meetings in the several cities of the county of Rock and State of Wisconsin:

Notice is hereby given that on August 1, 1898, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., the preliminary meetings of the republican electors of the several cities hereinafter mentioned will be held at the various places hereinafter mentioned respectively, for the purpose of choosing names of delegates to be voted for at the respective caucuses to be held at the same places, on the 5th day of August, 1898, from 4 to 8 p. m., which caucuses will be held for the purpose of electing delegates to the Rock County Republican convention to nominate candidates for county officers, and delegates to be held for the purpose of electing delegates to the State Republican convention, and delegates to the various assembly district conventions, to be held for the purpose of choosing delegates to the Congressional convention.

All of which conventions will be held on the 8th of August, 1898, and for the transaction of such other business as may be proper. Which caucuses are hereby called at the times and places herein mentioned.

The number of delegates to be chosen at said caucuses being as follows:

City of Janesville, First ward, 10; Second ward, 6; Third ward, 10; Fourth ward, 8; and Fifth ward, 4.

City of Beloit, First ward, 6; Second ward, 7; Third ward, 6; Fourth ward, 8; and Fifth ward, 6.

City of Evansville, First ward, 2; Second ward, 3; and Third ward, 3.

City of Edgerton, 6.

The places where such preliminary meetings and caucuses shall be held are hereby fixed respectively as:

City of Janesville, First ward, At booth for first precinct, being the building owned by city, on North River street, north of Engine house.

Second ward, At the voting booth of the second precinct, being the building owned by John Thoroughgood at the northwest corner of Main street and Fourth avenue.

Third ward, At the voting booth of the first precinct in said ward, being the building owned by W. B. Conrad, near east end of Court street ridge.

Fourth ward, Building owned by the Janesville Machine Company, on southwest corner of River and Pleasant streets.

Fifth ward, At the voting booth of said ward being the building owned by the city on Holmes street, near Center avenue.

City of Beloit, First ward, At building known and described as 366 State street.

Second ward, At City hall.

Third ward, At building known as Third ward hall.

Fourth ward, At Odd Fellows' hall.

Fifth ward, At building known as Love block on Sixth street.

City of Edgerton, At the City hall.

City of Evansville, First ward, At carpenter shop owned by A. K. Smith and known as No. 217 North Second street.

Second ward, At City hall.

Third ward, At room in rear of Lemuel's harness shop.

Dated July 21, 1898.

ROCK COUNTY REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE.

W. T. YANKIN, Chairman.

WILLIAM A. JACKSON, Secretary.

OPINION OF NEAR NEIGHBORS

Is Due to Gov. Scofield

Edgerton Reporter.—That Robert M. La Follette has again decided to seek the nomination of governor is a disappointment to many of his friends throughout the state. He made a gallant fight two years ago and was beaten by Gov. Scofield in the convention. We believe the majority of the republicans think Scofield has made a wise, safe and careful governor and is entitled by custom and precedent to another term. If La Follette had won in the convention two years ago he would be entitled to the same treatment at the hands of his party. Therefore it is hardly fair that he should enter the race again this year. The attacks that are now made upon the governor are the same tactics employed against Upham two years ago to drive him out of the race. They emanate from the same source too, and we imagine it will add nothing to the strength of La Follette that they are issued from his campaign headquarters.

Honor the Good Leaders.

Elkhorn Independent.—The La Follette papers are very fond of crying "machine," although they do not attempt to explain what they mean by the term. If they mean the voters who have been proud to acknowledge themselves as followers of Sawyer and Spooner and other leaders, men who admired and loved the late lamented Fairchild and Rusk, then the word "machine" is something to be proud of. If they mean by "machine" men who have done the bidding of these men, we do not know any of them in Wisconsin. Even the average voter is too intelligent and independent to be whipped into line. Men in all phases of life, follow leaders. They select them of their own accord, from personal acquaintance, or published accounts, and gladly serve them. The men above mentioned are worthy of all they have ever received. They have been a credit, even to the great republican party in national affairs.

Any voter who supported any of these men, directly or indirectly, made no mistake.

In writing of "machines" it is easy to go back two years, and look at the movement for La Follette for governor. Without a warning note, every school district in this county had his friends from Madison and other points working up a sentiment for him. And this is the way it will be this year. His machine will run all over this state within the next thirty days, and so well-oiled, so noiseless that it will hardly make a sound, and we submit that if Scofield has a "machine" back of him, so has La Follette.

Will Make No Change

Dolan Enterprise.—Gov. Scofield reiterates the statement made by him at Oconto some time since, that while he would accept a renomination if offered him, yet he will not be a candidate in the sense of making an aggressive fight for it. This on the governor's part is quite sufficient. While no man is quite perfect and some moves of the executive must necessarily call forth objections from such people as could not have things go their way, the administration of Gov. Scofield has been satisfactory to the people of the state generally. His attitude toward the rank and file of the volunteer troops recently contributed by Wisconsin, and his "unfailing efforts" in their behalf, was in itself sufficient, (had anything been necessary)—which was not the case, to insure his renomination. The convention will develop the fact that there is no disposition on the part of the people to change governors this term.

No Change Needed.

Lake Geneva Herald.—After considerable "coaxing" Robert M. La Follette has declared his candidacy for the office of governor of the state of Wisconsin. Mr. La Follette is a man of good abilities and has had experience which would no doubt enable him to make a good governor, but we can see no necessity to make any change. Governor Scofield has done good work.

The republican party, as you well know, Mr. Reader, is not the monster that Mr. La Follette would have you believe, even if the democrats do insist that the La Follette machine speaks the truth. When these bogus reformers begin to whisper in your ear, just think of the Irishman who indignantly exclaimed, when his race was assailed by a neighbor: "Yez can talk all yez plaze, yez can, but of don't bolave that half 'th' lies they tell about the Irish are three!"

Ex-Governor Hoard says La Follette's candidacy is "an effort to lead the republican party of Wisconsin back to the people." The ex-governor and the other La Follette machineists evidently think they are the people.

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION

Headquarters Republican State Central Committee, Milwaukee, June 15.

To the Republican Electors of Wisconsin:

By action of the State Central Committee, a convention of the republican electors of the state of Wisconsin will be held in the city of Milwaukee on Wednesday, the 17th day of August, 1898, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of nominating a republican state ticket to be voted for at the general election in November next, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention.

The republican electors of Wisconsin are cordially invited to unite under this call in sending delegates to said state convention.

In accordance with resolution recommended by the state convention and formally adopted by the State Central Committee, in electing delegates to the state convention, in counties having more than one assembly district, except Milwaukee county, the unit basis shall be the assembly district, and in such counties delegates shall be elected by assembly district conventions, and the names of the delegates so elected shall be certified to the State Central Committee by the chairman and secretary thereof; in all other cases delegates shall be elected by county conventions.

Under the present basis of representation the several assembly districts in the state are entitled to one delegate for every two hundred and fifty (250) republican votes, or major part thereof, cast at the last preceding presidential election.

Special attention is hereby called to the fact that the conventions to elect delegates to the state convention must be held on a notice of not less than four weeks; all town or ward caucuses as primaries to state convention on a notice of not less than ten days, and that notice of the meeting of such convention or caucus shall be given in the usual manner.

At the State Central Committee acts as the Committee on Credentials, it is requested that credentials of delegates elected, duly certified to by chairman and secretary of county or assembly district conventions, be forwarded to the secretary at Republican State Central Committee headquarters in Milwaukee, immediately upon their election; in every case giving the names in full and postoffice address.

EDWIN D. COE, Chairman.

JOHN M. EWING, Secretary.

Rock county will be entitled to 23 delegates, distributed among the assembly districts as follows: First district, 9; Second district, 11; Third district, 13.

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The 50 cent reduction on every hammock in the store is moving them out rapidly. Former \$1.50 hammocks go at \$1, and so on down the line. Sanborn.

Town Wiped Out by Fire.

Halifax, N. S., July 26.—The town of Pugwash, 1,200 inhabitants, a shipping port of considerable importance on the straits of Northumberland, was wiped out by fire Monday, 200 dwellings, five churches, twenty stores, three hotels and several mills being destroyed. The foreign shipping in port was slightly damaged. The town was little insured, owing to the absence of fire protection. The inhabitants are now encamped in the fields and woods. Several people are reported missing, but it is impossible yet to tell who, if any, perished. Relief is being organized in every direction.

Six Held in La Bourgogne Case.

Havre, July 26.—Nineteen Austrian sailors were taken before a magistrate and confronted by four second-class passengers, survivors of La Bourgogne, on charges of cruelty and brutality at the time of the collision between La Bourgogne and the British ship Cro-martyshire off Sable Island July 4. Although the evidence offered against them was very slight, six of the accused were held on remand. The others were discharged.

Bank President Warner Identified.

Louisville, Ky., July 26.—Chief of Police Maynard, of Northampton, Mass., arrived in Louisville Monday to take charge of Lewis Warner, the defaulting bank president, captured here Saturday. They called at detective headquarters and identified the fugitive. The Massachusetts officers are confident that Warner has money concealed somewhere, but he cannot be induced to talk about it.

France and Russia Decline.

London, July 26.—The report of the Brussels sugar conference shows that it failed through the refusal of France and Russia to join the other powers in the suppression of the export bounties. The British delegates recommended that the other governments nullify the French and Russian bounties by the imposition of countervailing duties, as done by the United States.

Searching for the Cable.

Washington, July 25.—Signal officers say it will be almost impossible to grapple the San Juan cable, although Gen. Greely, chief of the service, has ordered that the effort be made. The cable is only twenty or thirty fathoms deep off San Juan, but its exact location is not known. It is likely that official news from Gen. Miles will come by way of St. Thomas or Mole St. Nicholas and press reports will probably beat it several hours.

Soldiers Suffer at San Francisco.

San Francisco, July 26.—Sickness among the soldiers here is increasing. In the division hospital are 208 patients and in the Presidio barracks hospital forty-five, a total of 253 soldiers, not counting perhaps a hundred less severe cases in regimental hospitals. More soldiers are sick now than during the bad weather when about 14,000 were at Camp Merritt, where today there are only a little over half that number.

Gen. King Will Lead.

San Francisco, Cal., July 26.—It is understood that Brig.-Gen. Charles King will be in command of the next Manila expedition. He will probably go either on the Arizona or Scandia. Brig.-Gen. Miller, now commander of the Presidio, will probably remain for the present, at the express desire of Gen. Merriam.

F. Waller Lowers a Mark.

Stoughton, Mass., July 26.—Frank Waller, who started at Norwood Sunday against the 24-hour paced bicycle road record, finished here at 4:49 Monday afternoon, one minute short of the twenty-four hours, having covered 368 4-10 miles, thereby breaking the previous record of 355 miles 7/10 feet. His finish was strong.

To Aid the Wisconsin Men.

Madison, Wis., July 26.—Brigadier-General F. W. Byers, of Monroe, surgeon-general of the Wisconsin National Guard, has started for Jacksonville to look into the condition of the Wisconsin soldiers in the hospitals there and at Chattanooga and Charleston.

Four Children Cremated.

Beatrice, Neb., July 25.—Four children of Elmer Wallman, a farmer, were burned to death during the absence of their parents. Their ages range from 9 years to an infant. How the fire caught is not known.

Corean Situation Serious.

Berlin, July 26.—A dispatch from Shanghai to the Frankfurter-Zeitung says that the situation in Corea is serious. The king wishes to abdicate and retire to the British consulate, but the consul refuses to receive him.

Poet Evan McColl Is Dead.

Toronto, Ont., July 26.—Evan McColl, the Scottish-Canadian poet, is dead. He was the author of many poems, both in English and in Gaelic. He was 90 years old.

More Gold from Dawson City.

Seattle, Wash., July 26.—The steamer Charles Nelson arrived here Monday from St. Michael with 173 passengers from Dawson City and gold dust estimated from \$1,000,000 to \$1,500,000.

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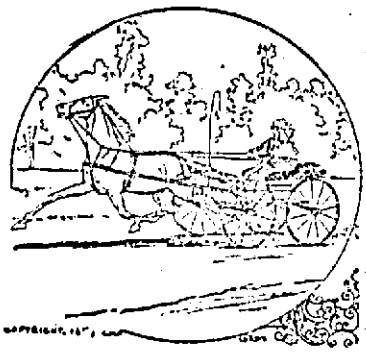
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All sizes of Children's Ribbed Gauze Vests, either long or short sleeves, at 10c.

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The daintiest, prettiest designs in fine French and German Organdies, retail values up to 45c per yard all included in a choice for 19c.

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As advertised last week, a splendid line of new, nobby colored and black wool skirts—just such as you want for your vacation trip; some were \$4, some were \$5, but all are to be put on sale at a choice for \$2.50.

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Rapid Shoe Selling.

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We are now selling a ladies' chocolate silk vesting top Shoe \$2 50

Our very best chocolate color Shoe, hand turned and welt; always sold for \$4.00, now 3 00

We have a colored Shoe for ladies, with the very pretty late toes, at 2 00

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COOPER ANSWERS HIS TRADUCERS

ADDRESSES A MELTING OF REPUBLICANS AT RACINE.

Refutes Calumnies That Have Been Given Currency Concerning Him—Denies Being Humiliated by Speaker Reed—Resolutions of Confidence Adopted by Unanimous Vote.

Racine, Wis., July 26.—More than a thousand voters listened to the speech of Congressman Cooper at the auditorium last evening. The congressman was received with loud applause. In the course of his speech he called the attention of his audience to statements made in a Racine paper to the effect that he had been deposed from the committee on rivers and harbors by Speaker Reed and said in regard to it:

"I have not been deposed from the committee," said Mr. Cooper. "I was No. 3, but in this congress Speaker Reed advanced me from No. 3 to No. 2, so that now I am on the conference committee. Let me explain what that means. A river and harbor bill is drafted first in the house of representatives. The committee sits and hears testimony. The last bill we prepared occupied three months of our time. The committee approves a bill and presents it to the house and from the house it goes to the senate. That august body cuts it and adds to it and disfigures it so that when it comes back it is unrecognizable. Then the house says it will not accept the amendments, and the speaker appoints three members from the house to meet three senators to go over the bill. These are appointed from the river and harbor committee. The committee will consist of Nos. 1 and 2 upon that committee and the chairman and Chairman Hooker, of New York, Cooper, of Wisconsin, and General Thomas O. Cuttings, of Mississippi, now compose that committee." Mr. Cooper alluded to the differences that had existed between himself and Speaker Reed, and showed that for the most part they were more imaginary than real. He also replied to the charge that he had secured offices for Democrats, showing that he had done all that the law permitted in the direction of filling the positions at his disposal with men true to republican principles.

Resolutions of Confidence.

At the conclusion of the meeting the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

In view of the importance to Racine and Kenosha counties of having a representative from the lake shore in our national congress who is familiar with the work of that body, and in view of the advantage of having a representative of our interests on the Rivers and Harbors committee of the next congress, and from the fact that our present representative occupies a prominent position on this committee, being the second in number upon the same, and in view of his faithful and uncompromising stand on matters of the highest importance to our national welfare; therefore,

Be It Resolved, by this mass meeting of the citizens of Racine and Kenosha counties, That we heartily endorse the conduct in congress of the Hon. Henry Allen Cooper on behalf of his constituents, and as a representative of the state of Wisconsin;

and

Resolve, That we consider that his reelection is imperatively demanded by the highest and best interests of the First Congressional district of Wisconsin.

THE WORKMEN'S PICNIC

A Fine Program Arranged for Thursday's Outing at Crystal Springs.

The Ancient Order United Workmen are putting forth every effort to make their twentieth anniversary picnic a record breaker, and a glance at their program will convince most any one that they ought to succeed.

Speaking by Mayor J. M. Thoroughgood, O. P. Snow and others.

Five-mile walking race, from Myers House corner to the park.

Wheeler road race, from Myers House corner to the park.

Top-of-war, pie-eating contest, sack and wheelbarrow races, running race, and many others. An elegant fan will be given to the lady holding the lucky number. Valuable prizes for every event.

Remember the date, July 28.

Fifty cents off on every hammock in stock. Sanborn.

MRS. RORER ON COMPLEXION

It Is Not a Matter of Outward Appearances.

Mrs. Rorer answers, in the Ladies' Home Journal, an enquirer about good complexion, realizing that it can only come from a healthy condition of the entire system and that it is not a matter of outward application, finishing with the statement that "Your food cannot possibly agree with you if you have muscular rheumatism and a bad complexion."

It is a known fact that many people fail to properly digest the starchy part of bread and other food. Grape-Nuts (a delightful breakfast food) are made of the grape-sugar which results from preparing the starchy parts of the cereals in the same way artificially as the body should do by natural processes. Therefore Grape-Nuts give one food all ready for immediate assimilation into blood and tissue. They are made by the Postum Co., at Battle Creek, Mich., and are ready prepared, require no cooking whatever and will be found most valuable to be athlete, brain worker or invalid. Sold by grocers.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Chicago, July 26.—[Special]—Forecast for Wisconsin:

Probable thunder storms tonight and Wednesday.

NEWS HEARD ABOUT THE CITY

LOWELL is selling hardware.

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LOWELL is doing all kinds of work.

SUPERIOR refrigerators at cost at Wheelock's.

Base ball in earnest tomorrow 3:30 at Athletic park.

See our display ad in regard to tea chests. Bomis China Tea Store.

STREET cars will run every 15 minutes to the base ball park tomorrow.

Senators congress 40 cents; sergeants 25 cents; children's shoes 25 cents. Amos Rehberg & Co.

Remembrance, ladies 15 cents only, to see the Oshkosh-Y. M. C. A. game at Athletic park tomorrow.

A REGULAR meeting of Janesville Chapter No. 89, O. E. S. will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The Concordia Singing society will leave for Davenport, Iowa, tomorrow at 11 o'clock to attend the Saengerfest.

The police arrested a couple of drunks last night, at least one of whom has had the experience before.

A good surrey rare for sale cheap, by, eight years old, sound and kind, weighs 1,200. Inquire of H. D. McKimney.

This evening the Outing club will enjoy a picnic supper and dance at Crystal Springs. The boat will leave at 5 and 7 o'clock.

EVERY morning we receive fifty baskets of delicious Georgia Elbert peaches, the flower of the crop 25 and 30 cents a basket. Sanborn.

THE 100 dozen Burlington fast black hose is the third lot we have offered at 11c. They are worth all of 20c a pair. Bort, Bailey & Co.

THE Rock county democratic committee will meet at the court house tomorrow at 2 o'clock to fix the dates for holding conventions of the party.

THE funeral of the late E. D. Williams was held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the residence of his grandmother, Mrs. Randall Williams.

TAN shoes, all styles, all colors. Regular selling prices \$2.75 and \$3.00 now at \$2.35. We are bound to keep in the lead. Amos Rehberg & Co.

THE Y. M. C. A. band concert in Riverview Park last night was well attended and highly appreciated. The program as published last evening was rendered.

We can save you money on oxfords. We have a big stock left. We must reduce them. Cost cuts no figure. Look over our price before buying. Amos Rehberg & Co.

THE Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church will meet in the church parlors, Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Business of special importance is to come before the meeting.

PHIL MULDOON will give a fine exhibition in wire walking, dumb bell, juggling, tumbling and strong man work at the A. O. U. W. picnic to be held on Thursday of this week at Crystal Springs Park.

FOR RENT—Store, No. 12 North Main street. Hard wood floor, high ceiling, in excellent repair. Also two 8 room flats above store. City water, bath room, large closets, finely papered throughout. Enquire at J. M. Bostwick & Sons.

DURING these quiet days Superintendent of Police Hogan, Inspector Appleby, Chief of Detective Brown and Sergeant McKinley have all they can do to keep from sinking into a complete state of coma brought about by a long season of enforced inactivity. Unless they are relieved soon by some sort of excitement they will be attacked by dizziness, pain in the back, loss of appetite, etc.

Parents' Titles.

"I was brought up," said a fond father, "to say father and mother. I never dreamed of saying papa and mamma when I was a child, and I should have made awkward work of it if I had tried. My children until lately have always said papa and mamma. I don't know how they got started that way, but at the outset and for a long time they never thought of saying anything else. Then the older ones took to saying father and mother. The older children soon accustomed themselves to the change; the younger children were a little shy over it at first, but they soon got pretty well used to it, and now we rarely hear in my house papa and mamma; it is father and mother. And I must say I like it better. And I don't think it is because that is the way I was brought up, though these titles certainly do have to me an old and familiar and affectionate sound that is very pleasant; but I think I like father and mother better, anyway."—New York Sun.

SOLDIERS SAID TO BE SUFFERING

MUCH SICKNESS AMONG VOLUNTEERS IN CAMP.

Complaints from Janesville Prompt the Governor to Action—He Has Sent the Surgeon General to Investigate—Nurses and Supplies for Wisconsin Soldiers Are Suggested.

For several weeks past the air in Janesville has been filled with rumors of serious sickness in the ranks of Co. A, First Wisconsin regiment, now in camp at Jacksonville, Fla. It has been stated in letters received here that many of the boys from this city have been suffering greatly from disease caused by neglect of the proper safeguards by these in authority and insufficient or improper rations. Several of our citizens here called the attention of Gov. Scofield to these reports, and that official has acted with his usual decision and promptitude. Brig.-Gen. F. W. Byers, of Monroe, surgeon general of the Wisconsin National guard, has been detailed by Gov. Scofield to go south and inspect the condition of the Wisconsin soldiers in the hospitals. He started for Jacksonville last night and will probably be gone ten days, as he intends to go to every hospital where Wisconsin soldiers are.

Complaints Were Numerous.

Letters have been pouring in on Governor Scofield from people about the state demanding that something be done to better the condition of the Wisconsin soldiers in the hospitals.

These appeals were generally based on information given in letters from the sick soldiers themselves or their comrades, and in many of them the care given the soldiers and the accommodations in the hospitals were described as extremely poor.

The greatest pressure has come from Janesville, where it is believed that considerable sickness prevails among their company.

Some complaint is also made that the United States authorities are not only failing in the care of the sick troops, but are unjust in refusing to allow any nurses from the state to go there and aid in caring for the sick.

The people of the state have clearly indicated to Governor Scofield that they would gladly send nurses and do other things to make the sick soldiers more comfortable and aid in their recovery, but this is refused by the medical authorities in the hospitals.

Governor Wants the Facts.

Gov. Scofield feels that he ought not to take any steps until he has accurate and official information of the conditions in the hospitals and to this end has sent Gen. Byers south, where he will visit every Wisconsin soldier in the hospitals and make a report on the conditions as they are found. Then if the facts warrant such action, Gov. Scofield will probably urge upon the war department to accept a staff of nurses and supplies for Wisconsin soldiers.

In any event Gen. Byers' trip will set the facts correctly before the people on the state and on the uncertainty of the subject.

DEATH OF WM. P. MERRILL

Old Resident of Milwaukee, and Brother of Hiram Merrill, of Janesville.

William P. Merrill, one of the early settlers of Milwaukee, and a brother of Hiram Merrill, president of the New Gaslight company of this city, died at Battle Creek, Mich., yesterday after a long illness. Deceased came to Wisconsin in 1835, and began his business career in Milwaukee. He purchased a large tract of real estate and held it until it became very valuable. Some time ago he removed to Battle Creek to obtain the benefit of medical treatment, but has been growing weaker for six months past.

Mr. Merrill gave \$10,000 to the Milwaukee-Dowder college for young women, and was long noted as one of the Cream City's most philanthropic capitalists.

KICKED A WINDOW TO PIECES

An Insane Man Sustains Painful Injuries at the County Farm.

This morning at 11 o'clock a telephone message was received from the county farm, stating that John Hanson, one of the insane inmates had sustained serious injuries and required the attention of a surgeon. It seems that the unfortunate man's mania for tearing his clothing and destroying such things as he happens to get hold of and for this reason is obliged to wear a leather muff on his hands.

This morning, accompanied by an attendant, he was out in the yard exercising, and when the attendant's back was turned he rushed to one of the basement windows and kicked in the glass with his bare feet, cutting a gash in one of them which bled so profusely as to warrant sending to the city for a physician. Drs. J. F. Pemberton and George W. Fitteld responded and dressed the wound.

PATSY GETS ONLY THREE DAYS

A Chronic Inebriate Makes His Customary Journey to the Bastille.

Mr. D. Tremont Griffin, familiarly known as "Patsy," was, much to his chagrin and mortification, brought to the municipal court and charged with being drunk and disorderly.

Patsy has been up so many times that he has a path worn leading to the bar of justice. Judge Patten said three days, and Mr. Griffin was too much of a gentleman to dispute him, and he was escorted to the bastille on the Rock.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

Ex-STATE Senator Tripp was in town yesterday.

L. P. DRABHORN left for McGregor, Iowa, last night.

ALEX WHITE, of Fulton, transacted business in the city today.

Miss Janette Cody left last evening for a few days at Lauderdale.

Miss Jessie Ebbin returned last night from a few days' visit in Chicago.

Miss JENNIE MAHANY left this morning for a week's outing at Delavan Lake.

LEN WILCOX has returned after enjoying a few days at Lake Koshkonong.

HON. Hiram Merrill returned on the "accommodation" from Chicago last evening.

GEORGE SHIDEN, of Baraboo, was in the city yesterday, visiting his brother.

Mrs. JAMES MILLS and children went to Delavan yesterday for a few days' outing.

Miss GERTRUDE BROWN, of Edgerton, is visiting in the city, the guest of Mrs. L. P. Dearborn.

MR. and Mrs. Hiram Merrill were called to Milwaukee today, by news of the death of Mr. Merrill's brother.

BENJAMIN G. BLANCK, a former resident of Janesville, has been chosen principal of a school at Artesia, Cal.

MR. and Mrs. J. V. Norcross returned to their home in Chicago today after a ten days' visit with relatives and friends.

PHOR. D. D. Mayno returned last evening from Washington and the east, where he attended the National Educational Association meeting.

Miss PEARL COLEMAN, of Madison, who has been camping for the past month at Delavan Lake, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. W. G. Mahany.

Miss Anna Lester, who has been visiting in Sharon, returned yesterday, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Chas. Searl, who will make a few days' visit here.

THE condition of Judge Phelps remains about the same. He rested easily last night, and if nothing unforeseen occurs will soon be well on the road to recovery.

ALEX. RICHARDSON, who has been in the city for the past few days, arranging for the removal of his family to Monomonee, Mich., has left for his future home. Mrs. Richardson will follow in a few days.

Mrs. A. W. Cole, 64 Racine street, and adopted daughter, Fannie, left for Madison this morning, where they will remain some time visiting brothers and sisters and old time friends, where all will be glad to see them and give them hearty welcome.

JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES.

Quotations On Grain And Produce are Reported For The Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market.

Wheat—Good to best Patent, \$1.15 to \$1.20 per sack.

Wheat—Fair to best quality 70 & 80 lbs. in request at \$1.00 per 60 lbs.

Barley—Malting at \$2.00 according to quality.

Oats—Good 20 & 22 lbs. per ton.

Oats—White, 22 & 24 lbs.

Upland Seed—\$2.10; \$2.00 per bushel.

Timothy Seed—\$1.00 to \$1.10 per bushel.

Hay—Good 100 lbs. \$1.00 per ton.

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FRUIT CROP IS LARGE AND FINE

JANESVILLE A FAVORITE MARKET FOR GROWERS.

Berries Have Been Unusually Plentiful, and Very Cheap—Peaches Are Scarcely Up to the Standard in Quality—Cherries Are Scarce and Very High—Grapes Coming In.

Fruit this year has turned out better, and there is more of it, than for a number of years. Especially has the home grown stuff been very plentiful, farmers coming from all around here to sell at the private houses, but the very fact that the crop was so large, kept them from realizing large profits from it. The crop is so large that all estimates based on the supply needed heretofore are knocked in the head.

Of the fruits already past, the strawberry crop was the finest and largest ever seen around here, the size of the berries being something not often heard of. A crop like that of this year cannot be reproduced in a number of years.

The blackberries this year were few and far between, and the quality not of the finest.

Wisconsin is coming to the front in her supply of blueberries, but the demand is only moderate. Michigan also furnishes a good many of these little berries. The market in blueberries is high.

Cherries this year were a failure, and we will have to get along without the usual supply of canned cherries. The crop was very scarce and is now nearly exhausted.

Concord grapes are just beginning to come in, but there is very little demand for them.

Peaches this year look promising as to the size of the crop, and will be very cheap, not only on account of the large crop but because they are rather poor. The Georgia Elbertas are the feature of the market.

Bananas this year are steady, but rather high.

The lemon trade is very brisk, while oranges are quiet and just about cleaned out.

Melons are just beginning to come, and promise to be fine.

LEARN TO USE AIR BRAKES

Northwestern Employees Are Being Instructed in Their Manipulation.

The Chicago & Northwestern air brake inspection car is in the city now, for the purpose of examining the employees of the company and also to give them instructions in the use of the air brake. The car is fitted up to represent an engine with seven freight cars and one passenger car, with all the air connections. The Chicago & Northwestern railway was about the first railroad to put such cars on the road, some having been put on at eleven years ago. The road has about 8,000 cars fitted with air brakes, and it is quite necessary for the employees to be proficient in the use of the brake. It is estimated that there are about 4,000 men who have to be examined before being allowed to become engineers.

WILL TRY TO BEAT JANESVILLE

The Oshkosh Hall Players Who Will Be Seen Here Tomorrow.

The following is the line-up of the Oshkosh team for tomorrow's game with the Y. M. C. A. club of this city: Wood, 3; Dixon, 4; Check, 5; Morrissey, 1; Crall, 2; Casabianca, 2; Licknor, 6; Sullivan, 7; Bayette, 1.

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Reads Past and Present Free; Four years future, \$1.00; life reading, \$2.00. Hours from 1 to 9 p. m. Palmistry, taught in private lessons or in class.

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For Little Chicks.

Bargains in Infants' Wear:

Infants' Muslin Bonnets, embroidered trimmed, with lace caps and trim around face; regular prices 12, 18, 20, 25, 30, 35 and \$1.00. 10 per cent off these figures.

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SURE PLAN WILL WIN.

SAID TO HAVE BEEN REPULSED.

General Brodhead Dying.
St. Louis, Mo., July 26.—General
me O. Brodhead, former minister to
titzerland and one of the best known
yers in the country, is lying danger-
sly ill at his home in this city. The
ysicians attending him have but lit-
hope of his recovery.

Win your battles against disease by acting promptly. One Minute Cough Syrup produces immediate results. When taken early it prevents consumption. In later stages it furnishes symptomatic relief.

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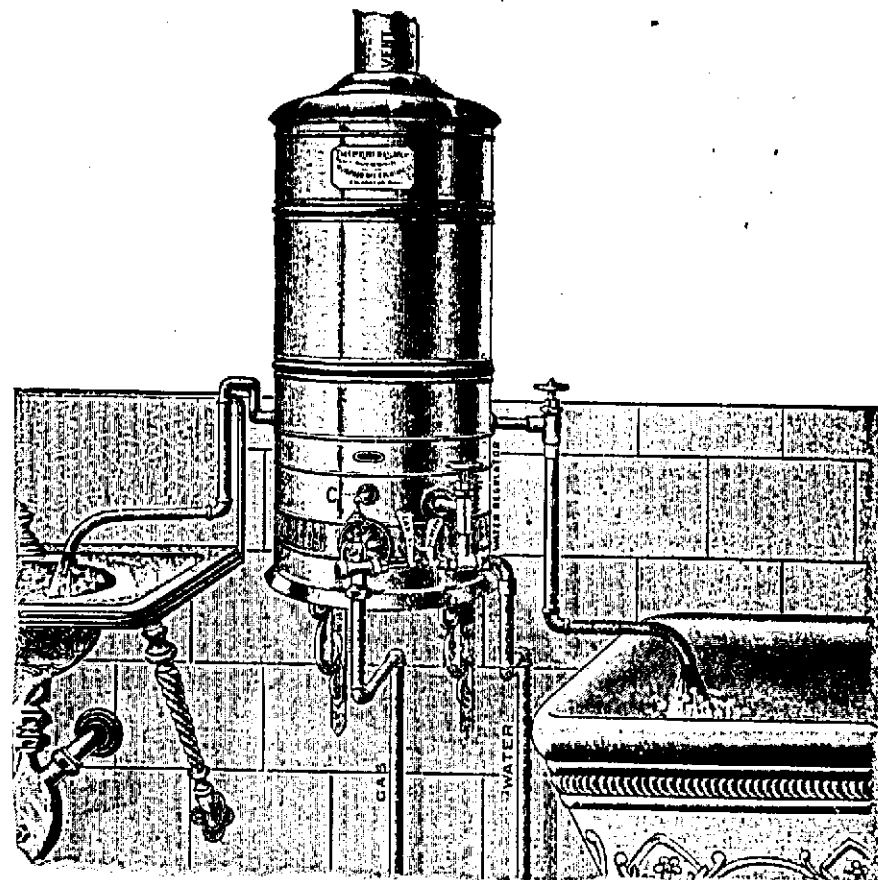
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Are You Planning On Going Into Camp

For your outing? We can fit you out completely in the eatable list. Not a stock in Southern Wisconsin from which so good a selection of camping out eatables can be secured. Prices are low for the high qualities too. You can always bank on our goods being the best obtainable. We will not sell poor stuff at any price. Make out your picnic list and bring it in.

YOU WILL DO WELL TO KEEP THIS LIST IN MIND.

Libby & Armour's Best Canned Meats.

Corned Beef.....	25c
Potted Ham.....	10c
Ox Tongue.....	65c
Lunch Tongue.....	30c
1-lb. can Armour's Star Bacon.....	25c
(Just the thing for picnickers.)	
Slice Star Ham.....	25c

Richardson & Robbins' Unexcelled ...Goods...

Potted Beef.....	20c
Potted Tongue.....	30c
Potted Duck.....	30c
Potted Game.....	30c
Potted Ham.....	20c
Monarch Canned Salmon.....	10, 15, 20c

Richelieu Canned Salmon.....	10, 20c
Russian Caviar.....	20c
Richelieu Lobster.....	20c, 30c
Devilled Crab.....	25c
Cove Oysters.....	15c
Dunbar Shrimps.....	25c
Small cans of Mackerel.....	10c
Penanros Boneless Sardines.....	25, 30c
Billet Imported Sardines.....	20, 30c
Good Imported Sardines.....	10, 15c
American Sardines, halves.....	10c
(3 for 25c.)	

American Sardines, quarters.....	5c
Mustard Sardines, best brands.....	10c
(3 for 25c.)	

Heinze Sweet Midget Pickles, in bulk, 35c qt.; bottles.....	25, 30, 35c
Heinze India Relish, bottle.....	25c
Heinze Catsup.....	10, 15, 20, 25c

Heinze Chili Sauce.....	25c
Richelieu Catsup, large bottles.....	25c
Heinze Baked Beans and Tomato Sauce.....	15c, 20c
Sour Pickles, all sizes, per qt.....	10c
A special article for picnickers are the sour mixed, sour midgets and sweet mixed Weichert brands of Pickles, large bottles.....	
(The stock is fresh and very nice.)	
Cross & Blackwell Imported Chow Chow.....	25, 35c
Large Spanish Queen Olives, bottle.....	40c
Jams and Jellies, every description, upward from.....	5c
Nothing more refreshing for heated weather than Phosphate. It should be kept in the house at all times.	

Sprague, Warner & Co.'s Perfection Wild Cherry Phosphate, 10, 15, 25c	25c
Thompson's Wild Cherry Phosphate, large bottles.....	20c
Root Beer makes an excellent hot weather drink; we have the Ex- tract Root Beer in bottles.....	10, 15c
Sprague, Warner & Co.'s Carbon- ized Root Beer in quart bottles, ready for use.....	15c
(5c rebate made when bottle is returned.)	
The finest kind of Chipped Dried Beef, per lb.....	20c
Campers will be interested in know- ing that Sanborn sells Armour Star Hams, per lb.....	
Picnic Hams, per lb.....	7c
Bacon, per lb.....	10c, 12½c
Standard Hams.....	10c

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For full information enquire J. W. Hodgdon, W. H. Merritt, C. A. Sanborn.

BASEBALL REPORT.

Games Played Yesterday in the Various Leagues.

Up in fifth place again Chicago's dispirited team braced up yesterday and with Griffith in the box decisively defeated the confident Cleveland. New York helped the Orphans up the ladder by forfeiting to Baltimore, the first case of the kind this year. The Orioles were the only leaders to win, Cleveland and Boston losing and Cincinnati being unable to play on account of rain. Washington checked the Phillies' winning streak. Louisville and St. Louis were unable to play. Scores:

At Chicago—
Chicago 11 0 0 5 0 0 0 *—7
Cleveland 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
At Brooklyn—
Brooklyn 2 0 0 1 0 1 0 *—4
Boston 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0—2
At Philadelphia—
Washington 0 1 0 0 1 2 0 3—8
Philadelphia 0 0 1 0 2 0 1 0—4
Games today: Boston at Brooklyn, Washington at Philadelphia, St. Louis at Louisville, New York at Baltimore, Cincinnati at Pittsburg.

Western League.
At Kansas City—Kansas City, 5; Milwaukee, 0.
At St. Joseph—Indianapolis, 13; St. Joseph, 4.
At St. Paul—St. Paul, 11; Columbus, 10.
At Minneapolis—Detroit, 7; Minneapolis, 6.

Interstate League.
At Grand Rapids—Fort Wayne, 2; Grand Rapids, 0.
At Mansfield—Mansfield, 12; Toledo, 4.
At Newcastles—Rain.
At Youngstown—Rain.

Iowa's Personal Property.
Des Moines, Iowa, July 26.—The personal-property assessment of Iowa fell off between \$7,000,000 and \$8,000,000 in 1898 as compared with 1897. Thirty-nine counties show an increase of over \$5,000,000, while fifty-nine counties show a decrease of over \$12,500,000. One county, Mahaska, has not yet reported. The principal decrease is in the items of furniture, live stock and merchandise, as follows: Furniture, \$1,000,000; live stock, \$4,300,000; merchandise, \$1,900,000. The principal increase was in money and credits, amounting to about \$3,000,000, almost entirely within Scott county alone.

Indianapolis Painters' Strike Ends.
Indianapolis, July 26.—The state labor commissioners have secured a settlement between the striking painters and employers and the former returned to work at a minimum wage of 25 cents an hour. The contractors demonstrated to the commissioners that employers of non-union men were

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Fancy Flue Stop, worth 15c.....	3c
Carpet Tacks, worth 5c.....	1c
Razor Strops, worth 35c.....	11c
21 qt. extra heavy Dish Pan.....	19c
14 qt. extra heavy Dish Pan.....	14c
Granite Iron Wash Basins.....	13c
Granite Iron Pie Plates, worth 15c.....	7c
Granite Iron Dish Pans, worth 90c.....	30c
Galvanized Iron Water Pails, worth 20c.....	10c
Extra heavy large Tin Pails, worth 25c.....	10c
Extra heavy Tin Pail, 10 qt.....	9c
Covered 2 qt Pail, worth 10c.....	4c
Steel Mincing Knives, worth 15c.....	6c
Large size heavy copper bottom Boiler, \$1.25.....	35c
Large size all copper Boiler, worth \$2.50.....	\$1.00
Large Tin Cup, worth 5c.....	1c
Glass Water Pitcher, worth 25c.....	13c
Fancy China Plates, worth 20c.....	9c
Choice of any Window Screen in the house.....	25c
2 foot Rule.....	5c
2, 3, 4 and 5 qt. Coffee Pots.....	10c
Beautiful Pocket Knives.....	25c
\$20 coal and wood Cook Stoves.....	\$13
Children's ribbed Underwear.....	25c
3 Gasoline Stoves, 2 burner.....	\$2 40
\$25 Girl's Wheel.....	\$19 50
Best Screen Door in city, with hinges.....	\$1 00
Hickory Axe Handles.....	5c
Good Carpenter Hammer.....	10c
2 nickel plated Student's Lamps, worth \$5.00.....	\$2 75
Clock, with fancy Dresden stand, good time- keeper, worth \$2.50.....	95c
Six 100 piece Dinner Sets of semi porcelain china, worth \$9.00.....	\$3 50
Fancy china Imported Cracker Jar, \$1.25.....	75c
50c Jars for.....	25c
Imitation cut glass Cake Plate.....	5c
Gold Watch Chain, warranted 10 years, worth \$5.00.....	\$2 75
Gold Collar Button, worth 25c.....	5c
Violet Tooth Powder.....	15c
Violet Perfume Bath Powder.....	15c
Illustrated Picture Books for children.....	6c
11 Doll Cabs for a song.....	25c
2 Bird Cages, regularly 50c.....	25c
25 dozen Brooms, each.....	15c
Shawl Straps.....	19c
Second hand Dray.....	\$3 50
Second hand Safe.....	\$50 00
Imitation cut glass Vinegar Cruets.....	8c

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